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APPLICANTS: Rohit Sharma

APPLICATION NO.: 09/580,029

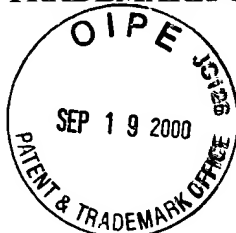
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TITLE: NETWORK PERFORMANCE MONITORING AND RESTORATION BASED ON
TRANSMISSION CODE VIOLATIONS

EXAMINER: Unknown

GROUP ART UNIT: 2784

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- ☒ payment in the amount of \$65 for the surcharge;
- ☒ Fee Transmittal (in duplicate);
- ☒ a signed Verified Statement;
- ☐ Applicant respectfully submits that since this application was entitled to Small Entity Status when filed, as established with the enclosed original, signed Verified Statement, the fee for filing as a large entity as indicated in the Notice to File Missing Parts is inappropriate and that the filing fee submitted with this

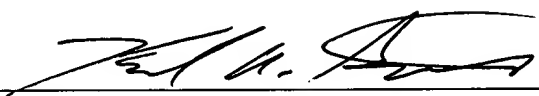
application as originally filed is sufficient to cover the filing fees for this application;

- ☒ an original, signed Declaration;
- ☒ a copy of the Formalities Letter;
- ☐ Other:

Respectfully submitted,

ROHIT SHARMA

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- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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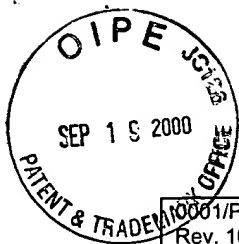
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		First Named Inventor	Rohit Sharma
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